

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PETITION OF BELLSOUTH)	
TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.)	CASE NO.
FOR PRESUMPTIVE VALIDITY)	2002-00276
OF TARIFF FILINGS)	

O R D E R

This matter arises upon the motion of SouthEast Telephone, Inc. ("SouthEast") for full intervention. It appears to the Commission that such intervention is likely to present issues and develop facts that will assist the Commission in fully considering the matter without unduly complicating or disrupting the proceedings. SouthEast acknowledges in its motion that a procedural schedule was established in this proceeding by Order dated July 23, 2003 and that it will adhere to that schedule. The Commission, being otherwise sufficiently advised, finds that SouthEast should be granted full rights of a party in this proceeding and should accept the procedural schedule as it now stands.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. The motion of SouthEast to intervene is granted, and SouthEast shall accept the existing procedural schedule.
2. SouthEast shall be entitled to the full rights of a party and shall be served with the Commission's Orders and with filed testimony, exhibits, pleadings, correspondence, and all other documents submitted by parties after the date of this Order.

3. Should SouthEast file documents of any kind with the Commission in the course of these proceedings, it shall also serve a copy of said documents on all other parties of record.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 20th day of August, 2003.

By the Commission

ATTEST:


Executive Director

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